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In re application of: Philip J. PALERMO, et al.
Serial No.: 10/665,735
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For: **A METHOD OF PREVENTING ABUSE OF OPIOID DOSAGE FORMS**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Restriction Requirement** in the above-identified application.

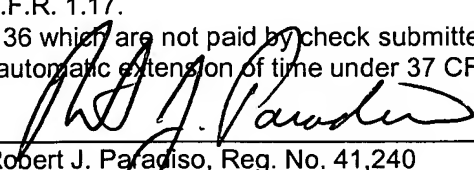
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No fee for additional claims is required.
- ☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST		RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT					
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- ☒ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)
- ☒ Other: Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages); Form PTO-1449 (1 page)
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- ☒ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)
- ☐ Other:
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